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**MESSAGE:**

**Re: U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/788,848  
Entitled: Method and Apparatus for Solid Fuel Pulverizing  
Operation and Maintenance Management**

Attached, please find a Corrected Claims Section and Response Section for Preliminary Amendment "A" for the subject application (7 pages).

Respectfully submitted,

  
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**PATENT APPLICATION****IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: George Zhang et al.

Assignee: ABB Inc.

Ser. No.: 10/788,848

Group Art Unit: 3725

Filed: February 27, 2004

Examiner: Jason Y. Pahng

Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR SOLID FUEL PULVERIZING  
OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE OPTIMIZATION

Docket No.: E20020450

Confirmation Number: 6861

**CORRECTED CLAIMS SECTION AND RESPONSE SECTION FOR  
PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT "A"**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated October 18, 2005, please find attached a corrected copy of the "Amendments to the Claims" and "Response" for Preliminary Amendment "A", which was filed on October 6, 2005. Apparently, the USPTO did not receive these sections in their entirety.

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